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1. AS ANTICIPATED DEC 14 HEADS OF DEL REACHED CONSENSUS
ON APPROVAL OF 133RD REPORT WHILE:

-- DROPPING FRENCH AMENDMENT RE CEILING IN
ARTICLE 6 IN FAVOR OF INTERPRETIVE NOTE ALONG
LINES DEPT HAD AUTHORIZED

-- RESORTING TO INTERPRETATION TO DEAL WITH
B AND C PROBLEM

-- DROPPING LAST FOUR WORDS ARTICLE 5 (B).
DUTCH REP STATED HE WOULD REPORT CONSENSUS ON
ARTICLE 5(B) WITH VIEW TO ACQUIRING NEW
INSTRUCTIONS WHICH WOULD PERMIT HIM TO ACCEPT
WITH POSSIBLE STATEMENT BY DUTCH IN THE MINUTES.

2. GERMAN REP STATED HE WOULD RECOMMEND TO HIS AUTHORI-
TIES SOLUTION AS LAID OUT BELOW.

3. IF RESPONSE OF THESE TWO ARE FAVORABLE, WHICH WE
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HAVE EVERY REASON TO ASSUME WILL BE CASE, COUNCIL WILL

APPROVE FINAL TEXT ALONG LINES OF FOLLOWING AT DEC 17 MEETING, WHICH WE CONSIDER TO BE WELL WITHIN INSTRUCTIONS.

4. TEXT OF DRAFT ENTRY IN COUNCIL MINUTES FOLLOWS:

BEGIN TEXT: QUOTE THE COUNCIL

A. HAVING REGARD TO THE 133RD REPORT OF THE CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE OF GOVERNMENT BUDGET EXPERTS (C(76)210), THE SECRETARY-GENERAL'S LETTER OF 30TH NOVEMBER, 1976, TO HEADS OF DELEGATIONS, TOGETHER WITH THE COMMENTS ATTACHED TO IT, ANNEXED TO THE PRESENT MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL, AND THE STATEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN OF THE STAFF ASSOCIATION AT THE 429TH MEETING OF THE COUNCIL (CES/76.103),

B. DECIDED TO APPROVE THE PROCEDURE FOR ADJUSTING THE REMUNERATION OF STAFF OF THE CO-ORDINATED ORGANIZATIONS AS SET OUT IN THE ANNEX TO THE 133RD REPORT OF THE CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE, SUBJECT TO THE DELETION OF THE LAST FOUR WORDS OF ARTICLE 5(B);

C. NOTED THE VARIOUS STATEMENTS MADE BY DELEGATES AT THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL, IN PARTICULAR THOSE BY THE DELEGATES FOR
. WITH REGARD TO ARTICLE 5(B) AND ARTICLE 6 OF THE PROCEDURE FOR ADJUSTING THE REMUNERATION OF STAFF OF THE CO-ORDINATED ORGANIZATIONS;

D. AGREED THAT, IF CIRCUMSTANCES JUDGED BY THE COUNCIL TO BE EXCEPTIONAL ARISE, IT COULD INVITE THE COORDINATING COMMITTEE TO FORMULATE PROPOSALS FOR AN AD HOC DEROGATION FROM THE CEILING ESTABLISHED IN ARTICLE 6;

E. AGREED THAT, IN APPLYING CHAPTER III OF THE PROCEDURE FOR ADJUSTING THE REMUNERATION OF STAFF COMPARISONS MADE WITH THE PUBLIC SECTOR WOULD BE BASED ON AS COMPLETE INFORMATION AS POSSIBLE CONCERNING THE REAL NET SALARIES PAID TO PUBLIC SECTOR OFFICIALS WITH LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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